

Previous Low Birth Weight Baby*

Mothers that responded yes to Question 4 - previous birth

2012 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

		No		Yes	
Demographic Groups	Population	%	CI	%	CI
Total	6,644	92.0	88.1 - 94.7	8.0	5.3 - 11.9
Age					
<20 years	128	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
20-24 years	1,246	96.6	89.9 - 98.9	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
25-34 years	4,380	89.0	83.3 - 92.9	11.0	7.1 - 16.7
35+ years	890	99.7	98.7 - 100.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
Mother's Race					
White	6,383	92.8	88.9 - 95.3	7.2	4.7 - 11.1
Black	80	#	# - #	#	# - #
Other	180	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
Hispanic Origin					
No	6,610	92.0	88.0 - 94.7	8.0	5.3 - 12.0
Yes	31	#	# - #	#	# - #
Education					
< High School	811	75.9	57.6 - 87.9	24.1	12.1 - 42.4
High School	2,135	90.8	82.6 - 95.3	9.2	4.7 - 17.4
> High School	3,660	96.2	91.8 - 98.3	3.8	1.7 - 8.2
Marital Status					
Married	3,747	94.2	89.5 - 96.9	5.8	3.1 - 10.5
Not Married	2,898	89.2	81.8 - 93.8	10.8	6.2 - 18.3
Income					
\$14,999 or less	2,016	86.2	76.5 - 92.3	13.8	7.7 - 23.6
\$15,000-24,999	1,121	89.1	75.9 - 95.5	10.9	4.5 - 24.1
\$25,000-49,999	1,350	95.2	85.2 - 98.5	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
\$50,000 or more	1,846	98.2	92.9 - 99.6	0.0	0.0 - 0.0

Enrolled in WIC						
No	3,439	94.0	88.5 - 96.9	6.0	3.1 - 11.5	
Yes	3,113	89.6	82.9 - 93.9	10.4	6.1 - 17.1	
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid						
No	2,482	98.6	94.8 - 99.6	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	
Yes	4,162	88.1	82.1 - 92.3	11.9	7.7 - 17.9	
Infant's birth weight						
<2500 grams	280	69.7	61.6 - 76.8	30.3	23.2 - 38.4	
2500 grams or more	6,358	93.0	88.8 - 95.7	7.0	4.3 - 11.3	

NOTES:

Population size for groups giving birth in Maine are taken from the Maine Vital Statistics System unless otherwise noted.

Unknowns are excluded from all tabulations.

* *Survey Question 5: Did the baby born just before your new one weigh 5 pounds, 8 ounces or less at birth?*

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** Estimates of the population size for this group giving birth in Maine are made through PRAMS.

^ Estimate of Hispanic population giving birth in Maine is taken from the 2012 birth file.

There were fewer than 10 survey respondents to this question. Data may be unreliable for describing this group, therefore percent is not reported.

CI = 95% Confidence Interval

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